



FCC Form 470 – Funding Year 2026

Form 470 Application Number: 260026492
 FY2027 MiSEN-REMC SAVE Networking Services ITB

Billed Entity

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Billed Entity Number: 17007965
FCC Registration Number: 0026129783

Number of Eligible Entities: 10165

Application Type

Applicant Type: Consortium

Statewide State:

MI

Recipients of Services: Academic; Adult Education; BIE; Bookmobile; Charter School; Detention Center; Dormitory; ESA School; General-Use School; Head Start; Juvenile Justice; Kiosk; Main Branch; New Construction Library; New Construction School; Pre-K; Research; State Library Agency - Library; Swing Space; Tribal College/University Library (for public use); Tribal Library; Tribal School

Statewide Application Represents:

Consulting Firms

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RFPS

ID	Name
233287	91 2026_28 ITB Networking and Security

Category One Service Requests

Service Type	Function	Function Other Description	Minimum Capacity	Maximum Capacity	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPS
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	Category One Network Equipment		56 kbps	100 Gbps	10167	50835	Each	Yes	233287

Description of Other Functions

ID	Name
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Narrative
<p>Due to EPC limitations, this Funding Year 2027 Form 470 is being filed in FY 2026 to meet the procurement and contract timelines required for the Master Agreement term beginning October 1, 2026. The Michigan Statewide Education Network (MiSEN) is filing as part of a statewide cooperative procurement with REMC SAVE to establish Master Agreements for E-Rate eligible hardware, software, cabling, licensing, maintenance, and related services for eligible Michigan entities.</p> <p>This is a master pricing vehicle only; no quantity, product, service, or dollar volume is guaranteed. Form 470 quantities are placeholders because the system requires entries. Actual needs and quantities will be determined by participating entities.</p> <p>The entities-served count reflects the potential statewide universe of eligible Michigan schools, libraries, healthcare entities, and other agencies that may access the contract, estimated at up to 10,165 locations[JL1.1]. Actual participation and demand are not guaranteed.</p> <p>As a multiple-award master contract, entities must conduct a mini-bid/quote when more than one awarded vendor, manufacturer, product line, or equivalent solution is available, and select the most cost-effective solution consistent with E-Rate and state/local rules. Each entity will complete its own local award/agreement, execute required local documents, and file its own FCC Form 471. Product lines may be listed in E-Rate service categories based on how equipment, licensing, maintenance, or functionality may be classified. Certain equipment licensing may be treated as MIBS, depending on the license and E-Rate classification.</p>

The Master Agreement runs October 1, 2026, through September 30, 2028, with one optional 24-month renewal. September 30, 2028, is the last date for local awards under the initial term, but resulting local contracts may extend beyond that date. Local awards made under the Master Agreement may result in local contracts of up to 24 months, with one optional 24-month renewal, subject to the ITB and E-Rate rules.

Vendors must review the full ITB, including all attachments, deadlines, terms, addenda, and disqualification criteria. Vendors must register in the REMC SAVE portal by June 10, 2026, to submit questions and bids. Bids are currently due July 9, 2026.

Category Two Service Requests

Service Type	Function	Manufacturer	Manufacturer Other Description	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Internal Connections	Antennas, Connectors, and Related Components	No Preference		10167	2033400	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Antennas, Connectors, and Related Components	No Preference		10167	2033400	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Cabling	No Preference		10167	2147483646	Feet	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Cabling	No Preference		10167	2147483646	Feet		233287
Internal Connections	Caching and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			20334	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Caching	No Preference		10167	20334	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Firewall Service, Components, and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			20334	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Firewall Service and Components	No Preference		10167	20334	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Racks	No Preference			50835	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Racks	No Preference		10167	40668	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Routers and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			40668	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Routers	No Preference		10167	40668	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Switches and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			203340	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Switches	No Preference		10167	203340	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Uninterruptable Power Supply/ Battery Backup and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			203340	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Uninterruptable Power Supply/ Battery Backup	No Preference		10167	203340	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Wireless Access Points and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			1016700	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Wireless Access Points	No Preference		10167	1016700	Each		233287
Internal Connections	Wireless Controllers and Necessary Software and Licenses	No Preference			10167	Each	Yes	233287
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Wireless Controllers	No Preference		10167	10167	Each		233287

Service Type	Function	Manufacturer	Manufacturer Other Description	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Managed Internal Broadband Services	Leased Equipment			10167				233287
Managed Internal Broadband Services	Existing Equipment			10167				233287

Description of Other Manufacturers

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Technical Contact

State and Local Procurement Restrictions

See attached ITB.

Billed Entities

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
17007965	Michigan Statewide Educational Network Consortium

Certifications

I certify that the applicant includes:

I certify that the applicant includes schools under the statutory definitions of elementary and secondary schools found in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. §§ 7801 (18) and (38), that do not operate as for-profit businesses, and do not have endowments exceeding \$50 million.

I certify that the applicant includes libraries or library consortia eligible for assistance from a State library administrative agency under the Library Services and Technology Act of 1996 that do not operate as for-profit businesses and, except for the limited case of Tribal colleges or universities, have budgets that are completely separate from any schools (including, but not limited to elementary and secondary schools, colleges, and universities).

Other Certifications

I certify that this FCC Form 470 and any applicable RFP will be available for review by potential bidders for at least 28 days before considering all bids received and selecting a service provider. I certify that all bids submitted will be carefully considered and the bid selected will be for the most cost-effective service or equipment offering, with price being the primary factor, and will be the most cost-effective means of meeting educational needs and technology goals.

I certify that I will retain required documents for a period of at least 10 years (or whatever retention period is required by the rules in effect at the time of this certification) after the later of the last day of the applicable funding year or the service delivery deadline for the associated funding request. I certify that I will retain all documents necessary to demonstrate compliance with the statute and Commission rules regarding the form for, receipt of, and delivery of services receiving schools and libraries discounts. I acknowledge that I may be audited pursuant to participation in the schools and libraries program.

I acknowledge that support under this support mechanism is conditional upon the school(s) and/or library(ies) I represent securing access, separately or through this program, to all of the resources, including computers, training, software, internal connections, maintenance, and electrical capacity necessary to use the services purchased effectively.

I certify that I have reviewed all applicable FCC, state, and local procurement/competitive bidding requirements and that I have complied with them. I acknowledge that persons willfully making false statements on this form may be punished by fine or forfeiture, under the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

I acknowledge that FCC rules provide that persons who have been convicted of criminal violations or held civilly liable for certain acts arising from their participation in the schools and libraries support mechanism are subject to suspension and debarment from the program.

I certify that the services the applicant purchases at discounts provided by 47 U.S.C. § 254 will be used primarily for educational purposes, see 47 C.F.R. § 54.500, and will not be sold, resold or transferred in consideration for money or any other thing of value, except as permitted by the Commission's rules at 47 C.F.R. § 54.513. Additionally, I certify that the entity or entities listed on this form have not received anything of value or a promise of anything of value, other than services and equipment sought by means of this form, from the service provider, or any representative or agent thereof or any consultant in connection with this request for services.

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NOTICE:

In accordance with Section 54.503 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") rules, certain schools and libraries ordering services that are eligible for and seeking universal service discounts must file this Description of Services Requested and Certification Form (FCC Form 470) with the Universal Service Administrator. 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. The collection of information stems from the Commission's authority under Section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. 47 U.S.C. § 254. The data in the report will be used to ensure that schools and libraries comply with the competitive bidding requirement contained in 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. Schools and libraries must file this form themselves or as part of a consortium.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The FCC is authorized under the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to collect the information requested in this form. We will use the information you provide to determine whether you have complied with the competitive bidding requirements applicable to requests for universal service discounts. If we believe there may be a violation or a potential violation of any applicable statute, regulation, rule or order, the information you provide in this form may be referred to the Federal, state, or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing, or implementing the statute, rule, regulation or order. In certain cases, the information you provide in this form may be disclosed to the Department of Justice or a court or adjudicative body when (a) the FCC; or (b) any employee of the FCC; or (c) the United States Government is a party of a proceeding before the body or has an interest in the proceeding. In addition, information provided in or submitted with this form, or in response to subsequent inquiries, may also be subject to disclosure consistent with the Communications Act of 1934, FCC regulations, the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, or other applicable law.

If you owe a past due debt to the federal government, the information you provide in this form may also be disclosed to the Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service, other Federal agencies and/or your employer to offset your salary, IRS tax refund or other payments to collect that debt. The FCC may also provide the information to these agencies through the matching of computer records when authorized.

If you do not provide the information we request on the form, the FCC or Universal Service Administrator may return your form without action or deny a related request for universal service discounts.

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